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Further, in satisfaction of the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and as required by M.P.E.P. § 2001.06(b), Applicant notes that the present application is related to the following pending patent applications:

1. U.S.S.N. 10/956,352, filed September 30, 2004;
2. U.S.S.N. 11/200,444, filed August 8, 2005; and
3. U.S.S.N. 11/930,051, filed October 30, 2007.

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